## SENATE RESOLUTION 62 By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ashley Lauren Vaughn, 2003 Valedictorian of Northwest High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Lauren Vaughn is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Northwest High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ashley has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this stellar academic achievement, Ms. Vaughn has been involved in a number of activities throughout her high school career; she was a member of the Beta Club, the Junior Civitans, which she served as Vice President, the Associated Student Government, which she served as Representative and President, the National Honor Society, and the School Chorus; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades and awards, she earned the Presidential

Leadership Award, the United States Student Council Award, and several Outstanding Student

Awards; in addition, she has been recognized in the prestigious Who's Who Among American

High School Students; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Vaughn's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Lauren Vaughn's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Northwest High School Valedictorian, Ashley Lauren Vaughn, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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